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Greetings!

The following information is approved for public distribution to any and all of your associates. All events are open to the public. Please scroll through this message for a detailed summary of items described. Contact information for each item is provided.

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***"Many Lands, Many People, Many Faiths...One Arizona"***

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**1. Arizona Governor's Tribal Liaisons - Contact Information**

Tribal Liaisons ensure that state services and resources are available to all eligible state citizens residing in Arizona tribal communities to the same extent that such services are available to all other eligible state citizens. Each tribal liaison has been designated to act as the principle point of contact for tribal issues.

For a current copy of this directory, please visit:  
<http://azgovernor.gov/eop/TribalOutreach.asp>

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**2. Heat Relief Network Summer Water Drive**

The City of Phoenix is seeking 200,000 bottles of water to save the lives of homeless, elderly and people with disabilities during extreme weather conditions.

Companies or individuals giving large donations of water should call the city's Human Services Department Community Services Division, 602-262-4520.

Small donations of water, light colored T-shirts, sun block, socks, underwear, hats and pre-packaged snack items may be delivered to one of the following family service centers:

- Sunnyslope, 914 W. Hatcher Road, Phoenix.
- Central Phoenix, 1250 S. Seventh Ave., Phoenix.
- Travis L. Williams, 4732 S. Central Ave., Phoenix.
- John F. Long, 3454 N. 51st Ave., Phoenix.

To learn more about joining the Phoenix Heat Relief Network contact Becky Franco, 602-261-8806 or e-mail, [Rebecca.franco@phoenix.gov](mailto:Rebecca.franco@phoenix.gov).

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### **3. Foreclosure Prevention Workshop - May 10th**

Sponsoring Organizations: Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco, Arizona Foreclosure Prevention Task Force, and Arizona Housing Counseling Collaborative

Saturday, May 10, 2008

Registration begins at 8:30 am

Workshop and counseling 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Phoenix City Hall  
200 West Washington Street  
Phoenix, Arizona 85003

Resource Available to Help Homeowners Facing Foreclosure

- Morning panel with Q&A
- Individual Counseling Session in Spanish and English
- Informational exhibits and Take-away materials

Credit and housing counselors, loan servicers, and lenders will be available for brief individual consultations throughout the day on a first-come, first-served basis. Please bring your loan documents and other financial information with you to the workshop!

FREE EVENT. No charge for admission. Free parking at 3rd Avenue & Washington Street parking garage. Activities for children.

Register at: [fhlsf.com](http://fhlsf.com)

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### **4. Federal Fiscal Year 2009 Highway Safety Plan - Deadline May 12th 6:00 PM**

The Governor's Office of Highway Safety (GOHS) is requesting submission of proposals relating to highway safety issues from state, county, municipal, university, tribal and non-profit agencies for the 2009 Federal Fiscal Year which commences 1 October 2008. The website ([go.azgohs.gov](http://go.azgohs.gov)) where you will submit your proposal will open at 12:01 am on 1 April 2008 and will close at 6:00 pm on 12 May 2008. PLEASE NOTE: this is the only method that a proposal can be submitted.

The FY200 Highway Safety Plan will specifically target the following areas and proposals addressing these areas will be given priority:

- 1) Speed. Exceeding maximum posted, Not reasonable and prudent, School Zones, Aggressive Driving
- 2) Impaired Drivers (over and under 21 years). Youth Alcohol Violations, Holiday DUI Task Forces
- 3) Occupant Protection. Seat Belts, Child Safety Seats
- 4) Emergency Medical Services. Extrication equipment

When developing your proposal, please keep in mind that we receive approximately \$3.6 million in 402 funds for the entire state. All enforcement proposals must include an educational component. In addition to applying for the 402 funds, this

year, agencies who are currently members of a DUI task force or who would like to become involved in a DUI task force, must apply for 410 funding. THE DUI TASK FORCE PROCESS NO LONGER WILL BE DONE SEPARATELY.

For a copy of the proposal letter, guide and application link, please visit [http://www.azgohs.gov/grant\\_opportunities.asp](http://www.azgohs.gov/grant_opportunities.asp)

For problems downloading the proposal guide or opening the website please contact:

Phoenix: 602-255-3216

Tucson: 520-790-5124

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## **5. 2008 Valley Diaper Drive – May 17th**

Join Tim and Willy at the Diaper Dump!

Saturday, May 17, 2008

Sunflower Farmers Market  
245 E. Bell Road (Phoenix)  
9:00am - Noon

Join us in our annual Valley Diaper Drive to benefit the Diapers Bank's 55 nonprofit partners. This year we aim to raise 100,000 diapers and \$10,000 to cover needy bottoms in our community. How can you get involved?

During the month of May, drop off unopened packs of diapers at any Sunflower Farmers Market or Discount Tire.

### **DIAPER FACTS:**

- A healthy change of diapers costs \$100.00/month for all ages
- Incontinent seniors often become homebound if they can't afford supplies
- Many disabled children never outgrow the need for diapers
- Safety net programs do not cover diapers, not Food Stamps, not WIC, not Medicare.

For more information visit [valleydiaperbank.org](http://valleydiaperbank.org) or call 602.253.0050

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## **6. GCMSDC 14th Annual Awards Dinner - May 17th**

14th Annual Awards Dinner hosted by the Grand Canyon Minority Supplier Development Council  
"Eminence: A Celebration of Success"

Saturday, May 17, 2008  
The Buttes Marriott Resort  
2000 West Court Way  
Tempe, AZ 85282

5:30pm - 6:30pm Reception and Vacation Getaway Silent Auction  
6:30pm - 9:30pm Dinner, Presentation & Awards Ceremony

Black Tie/Formal Attire

Early Bird Registration  
\$199.00 Corporate/ \$99.00 MBE

Deadline for Early Bird Registration- Friday, April 25, 2008

Download registration for at [http://www.gcmsdc.org/gcmsdc\\_docs/121/Awards%20Dinner%20Registration%20Form.pdf](http://www.gcmsdc.org/gcmsdc_docs/121/Awards%20Dinner%20Registration%20Form.pdf)

For additional information, log on to our website at [www.gcmsdc.org](http://www.gcmsdc.org) contact Carmen Rogers, VP of Operations at (602) 495-9950 or by email at [carmen.rogers@gcmsdc.org](mailto:carmen.rogers@gcmsdc.org)

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## **7. Racial Profiling Forum – May 21st**

The Arizona Civil Rights Advisory Board in conjunction with the Attorney General's Office Civil Rights Division will host a Racial Profiling Forum.

Wednesday, May 21, 2008  
6:00PM - 8:00PM

Tucson City Hall  
255 W. Alameda Street, 1st Floor  
Tucson, AZ 85701

The Board has authority pursuant to ARS 41-1402(A) to make periodic surveys of the existence and effect of discrimination in the enjoyment of civil rights by any person within this state, to foster the elimination of discrimination through community effort, and to issue publications of the results of studies, investigations and research as in its judgment will tend to promote goodwill and the elimination of discrimination between persons because of race, color, religion, sex, age, disability, familial status or national origin. The Board would like to hear from community members, organizations and law enforcement about racial profiling incidents that they or others have encountered in Arizona, the existence of racial profiling in Arizona, its impact on the lives of Arizona citizens, and suggestions for addressing it.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation by contacting Kathleen Grant of the Civil Rights Division at 602.542.4909 or TTY 602.542.5002.

For more information, please contact Kathleen Grant at 602.542.4909

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## **8. May Diversity Leadership Alliance Workshop – May 22nd**

"Emotional Intelligence and Diversity: Creating an Environment of Engagement"  
Workshop Leaders: Lee Gardenswartz, Ph.D. and Anita Rowe, Ph.D.

Thursday, May 22, 2008  
8:00 am to NOON

Wells Fargo Conference Center  
100 West Washington Street  
Phoenix, Arizona 85303  
(602) 378-4624

NO CHARGE for registration and no shows will be charged \$50.  
Seating is limited. For registration and directions please visit [www.diversityleadershipalliance.org](http://www.diversityleadershipalliance.org)

NOTE: All Conference Center guests must park at the garage at 303 N. 2nd Avenue (N.E. corner of Van Buren). Parking is discounted with the Conference Center's stamp to \$3.00 in our 303 N. 2nd Avenue Facility. Please bring your parking stub to the meeting to receive your discount. \*\*\*Parking is limited to monthly parkers in the main parking garage in the Plaza\*\*\*

Workshop Summary: Emotions are the source of the energy behind engagement, which results in a climate of productivity, dedication and support. A healthy emotional climate is also inclusive, leading to the connection, respect and support necessary for commitment in the stressful work worlds where most of us exist today. This is especially critical in today's diverse workplace where, all too often, differences result in disruption, misunderstanding, disengagement and lost opportunities. This session will share the presenters' newest work, a model and tools for building the Emotional Intelligence necessary for being successful in working with Diversity.

Attendees will leave with conceptual information and practical tools for building a dynamic environment of engagement and inclusion.

- Gain a model of emotional intelligence and diversity
- Learn how to apply this knowledge to harness the power of emotions in dealing with differences and leveraging creativity
- Gain tools to build connection, commitment and cohesion in your work environment

Lee Gardenswartz, Ph.D. and Anita Rowe, Ph.D., partners in Gardenswartz & Rowe and the Emotional Intelligence and Diversity Institute, began helping organizations with diversity in 1977 when they worked with Los Angeles Unified School District to deal with its diversity challenges at the time of mandatory integration. Since that time they have specialized in the "human side of management" for a variety of regional and national clients, helping them manage change, handle stress, build productive and cohesive work teams and create inter-cultural understanding and harmony in the workplace. For additional information visit their websites at [www.gardenswartzrowe.com](http://www.gardenswartzrowe.com) and [www.eidi-results.org](http://www.eidi-results.org)

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## **9. Project Civil Discourse: Exploiting Racial Fears in American Politics - May 22nd**

Thursday, May 22, 2008  
7:00PM

Burton Barr Public Library

FREE to the public

Dr. Matthew Whitaker will examine the history of America's unwillingness and/or inability to sufficiently engage the history and life of race and racism. He will demonstrate that the tendency to exploit racial fears (otherwise known as the "Southern strategy") has been a fundamental organizing principle of American politics, and examine how Barack Obama's presidential candidacy has impacted this historic mindset.

Learn more about Project Civil Discourse at <http://www.azhumanities.org/pcd1/index.html>

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## **10. American Indian Justice Conference: "Building Healthier Tribal Communities" – June 2nd**

The University of North Dakota Tribal Judicial Institute in partnership with the Criminal Justice Center for Innovation at Fox Valley Technical College invite you to register for an exciting training opportunity.

American Indian Justice Conference: "Building Healthier Tribal Communities"  
June 2-5, 2008

Radisson Fort McDowell Resort & Casino  
10438 North Fort McDowell Road  
Scottsdale/Fountain Hills, AZ 85264

This training conference will bring tribal community professionals/practitioners together with technical assistance providers to address multi-disciplinary and multi-jurisdictional approaches to the development of justice programs. Pre-conference workshops and conference sessions will focus on tribal courts (healing-to-wellness and family), substance abuse programs, and offender monitoring programs.

BJA grantees funded through the Tribal Courts Assistance, Indian Alcohol and Substance Abuse, Wellness Courts, and Corrections/Re-Entry Programs are strongly encouraged to use their BJA funds to attend this event. The training is intended for those who work in the courts, law enforcement, prosecution, probation, corrections, treatment, and social service programs.

There are no fees for the conference or pre-conference training sessions. Space is limited.

Registration IS REQUIRED for all events. Scholarships are available for travel and lodging based on need and justification. Submit a scholarship request form with the registration form (available on the conference website).

Additional information, registration, and logistical details can be found on the attached brochure or online at:  
<http://www.fvtc.edu/tribal>.

Please do not hesitate to contact our office at 888-370-1752 should you have any questions or if you would like a registration form faxed/emailed to you.

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## **11. Mattel and the Mattel Children's Foundation: Domestic Grant making Program – Deadline: July 15, 2008**

Range of Grants: \$5,000 up to \$25,000. Funds may be applied to programs or general operating costs. Funding is for one fiscal year. No multi-year requests will be accepted.

Eligibility: 501(c) 3 Public Charity organizations - if an organization is a project under a fiscal sponsor, that sponsor must have a valid tax exemption status, Organizations must serve children in communities within the U.S. and Organizations must not discriminate against a person or a group on the basis of age, political affiliation, race, national origin, gender, disability, sexual orientation or religious belief. Organizations may submit under a fiscal agent as long as the program has been in existence for at least two years.

Funding Priorities: Programs that directly and effectively impact children with demonstrated needs (physical, financial, emotional and health-related); Preferences to programs given demonstrated results; Organizations that use creative and innovative methods to address a locally defined need directly impacting children in need.

Organizations or programs that align with Mattel's philanthropic priorities: LEARNING - Increasing access to education for underserved children and in particular, innovative strategies to promote and address literacy. HEALTH: Supporting the health and wellbeing of children, with particular emphasis on promoting healthy, active lifestyles. GIRL EMPOWERMENT: Promoting self-esteem in young girls, up to age 12.

Types of Grants: Program-specific grants: Funding for launch of new programs or expansion of existing programs. Core operating support: Provides support for administrative and operating costs allowing organizations to sustain their programs.

Applications must be submitted online through the Mattel website. Applications will not be accepted by fax or mail. If you have any questions, please send them to [foundation@mattel.com](mailto:foundation@mattel.com).

For more information, please visit: [http://www.mattel.com/about\\_us/philanthropy/ci\\_mcf\\_philanthropy\\_grantmaking.asp](http://www.mattel.com/about_us/philanthropy/ci_mcf_philanthropy_grantmaking.asp)

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## **12. Samuel Harris Fund For Children's Dental Health – Deadline: July 17, 2008**

Range of Grants: up to \$5,000 each.

Total of Amount: \$325,000

Main Objective: is to help children whose socioeconomic status impacts their access to professional oral care and adversely affects their oral health habits at home.

Eligibility: Community-based, nonprofit, oral health promotion programs in the United States and its territories that comply with the program's submission guidelines will be considered. Examples of qualified oral health promotion programs include the following: dental health education programs in conjunction with preventive programs such as fluoride and dental sealant application programs; oral health and nutrition education materials designed for parents, caregivers, and/or child care professionals; dental health education conducted at schools, health fairs and social service agencies, or via outreach programs; instruction in the proper use of oral care products; and development of public service announcements to increase awareness of, and appreciation for, proper childhood oral care.

For more information, please visit: <http://www.ada.org/ada/adaf/grants/harris.asp>

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